SUDDEN COLLAPSE OF THE BOERS

15,000 to 20,000 Could Not Stand Against 230,000 British

LORD ROBERTS' MARCH

from Bloemfontein Hardly More Than a Hollday Parade.

THE SCHOOLBOYS' MESSAGE.

ger Reply to Philadelphia Students indicates that Hope for Indes pendence is Lost.

[Early Dispatches.] New York, June 1,-A dispatch to the ane from London says;

the war is closing with something an anti-climax, but with logical neacy. Johannesburg has been sled without a struggle, and Preother has been or will be taken it a siege. The last stage of the ch between Bloemfontein and Preis has been hardly more than a day promenade, and President Kru-'s prediction that the price would agger humanity" has not been ful-A brigade of English prisoners virtually been realcased and the ends without the scenes of carnage despairing Dutch valor which have anticipated.

LONDON IS DAZED.

London was dazed by the suddenness he collapse of the Boer and the mess and precision with which eral Roberts had worked out his

Plags were fluttering from house tops, there was no revel of public reing in the streets. The popular ensm was smothered by the antithe tame ending after an nths' campaign filed with surprises and dramatic inci-fet there was something log-tic coincidence which brought liton's column within a few zone of Jameson's sur-what was likely to prove of the war was fought. rned, has ended within neson's final stand after been beaten back from Kru-

LAST BOER DEFEAT.

story of these closing scenes is d there are missing links supporting French's was confronted on Boer force strongly lamilton attacked the heavy guns, and Boers fought with but the kopjes were y cut to pieces at Ma-wed how well they could turing one position after the city imperial volun-opposite end of the line, tal gallantry. Hamilton's al gallantry. Hamilton's clearing the hills, ad-rida, and the rallway beburg and Krugersdorp, re Wednesday night vas on the road to Prefor 24 hours his enholding the hills and a portion of was guarding the and the local authoriotection of the mines. a surrendered and Gend Commandant Kraus ting to prevent an outand the destruction

be thief breaks in the continuity of caused by the lack of Carew's division, with ving in the direction o so rapidly as Lord at the mercy of the adand infantry, and arapital and for the rea prisoners, but there news respecting these d on Thursday, the der General Roberts n, and the flag having the gold reef city. The , even if it has not occurred are two theories here respect-

te collapse of the Dutch was briefly summed up rominent official yesterday in

PEOPLE WOULD NOT FOLLOW KRUGER,

uger has been forced out. The peooria are unwilling to follow is longer and have taken protect the city against a station. He has gone to a final attempt to rally its are now saving their separating themselves Johannesburg has is interests in the same to sacrifice their business invest-

SECRET ARRANGEMENTS AL-

theory has already been in these dispatches as sup-members of parliament and en. It assumes that Kruger, ato secret arrangements Sir Alfred Milner or Lord which the march of the hs has been expedited and mandos scattered and kept ht, with a view to the probloodshed. If President made terms of his own it deepest game ever played there are members of parlithat this has been hat he has retired to Lydenpurpose of concealing his nents for bringing the war nd and obtaining guarantees of security and immunity from

ER WEAKENING UNEXPECTED. The Boor powers of resistance have

Thousands Have Kidney Trouble and Don't Know it.

How To Find Out. Fill a bottle or common glass with your water and let it stand twenty-four hours; a sediment or settiling indicates an unhealthy condition of the kidneys: if it stains your linen it is evidence of kidney trouble: too frequent desire to pass it or pain in the back is also convincing proof that the kidneys and hied-

convincing proof that the kidneys and bladder are out of order. What to Do. There is comfort in the knowledge so often expressed, that Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney remedy fulfills every wish in curing rheumatism, pain in the back, kidneys, liver, bladder and every part of the urinary passage. It corrects inability to hold water and scalding pain in passing

it, or bad effects following use of liquor, wine or beer, and overcomes that unpleasant necessity of being compelled to go often during the day, and to get up many times during the night. The mild and the extraordinary effect of Swamp-Root is soon realized. It stands the highest for its wonderful cures of the most distressing cases. If you need a medicine you should have the best. Sold by druggists in 50c, and \$1, sizes. You may have a sample bottle of this wonderful discovery and a book that tells more about it, both sent absolutely free by mall.

weakened so unexpectedly and the Brit-ish successes have been so rapid and complete that this theory helps to explain what is happening in South Afri-

absolutely free by mail.

Address Dr. Kilmer & Home of Swamp-Root.

Co., Binghamton, N. Y. When writing men-

tion reading this generous offer in this paper.

Possibly a more accurate summary of the case would be the simple statement that from 15,000 to 20,000 burghers have found the on-rush of an army of 230,000 British soldiers irregistible, and have uddenly abandoned a hopeless under-

SPANISH SYMPATHY FOR BOERS. City of Mexico, June 1.—El Correo Espanol, the organ of the Spanish col-ony here, says regarding England's policy of annexing the Boer republics:
"Poor Boers. The world has applauded your heroism, but has not moved a finger to prevent the spollation of which you are the victims. The Nine teenth century goes out dishonorable." THE SCHOOL BOYS' MESSAGE.

Philadelphia, June 1.—The North American has received the following

able message: Pretoria, May 29.—In distress of dire circumstances, the message from the school boys of Philadelphia to President Kruger, delivered this day, has the tons of sympathy and sorrow at the final misfortune which is about to wipe the majortune which is about to whe the South African Republic from the roll of independent nations, rather than an en-couragement to a people fighting for liberty—the fight has been fought—and

The message was delivered in the executive chamber at the capitol, through the windows of which came the rumble of ox-carts and general confusion attendant upon the evacuation of the city by the families of the Boers. The Brit-ish are reported to be approaching. BOER CAUSE IS LOST.

There was an impressive silence in the chamber as the stern and venerable president of this doomed republic bent froward to receive from Messenger Jules Francis Smith the packet which the boy had traveled 12,000 miles to de liver into his hands. "Caesar, Morituri te Salutamus,"

quoted Secretary of State Reitz, as the president accepted the message. Then he added a bitter epigram: "On this he added a bitter epigram: "On this occasion the message is reversed. Casar greets those about to die."
This reference to the United States

and the message of sympathy from America to the president of a dying sister republic profoundly moved every one present. Tears glistened in the president's eyes as he took the packet from the messenger's hands.

PRESENTATION AND REPLY.

In presenting the message Smith made a manly little speech, informing President Kruger of the nature of his mission as courier of the school boys of Philadelphia. Secretary of State Reitz translated Smith's simple sen-

tences as they were spoken.

Then the book from the North American containing the narrative of the movement that culminated in the dispatch of the messenger and the news-

patch of the messenger and the newspaper clippings expressive of the sympathy of the people of the United States with the Boer cause was presented. President Kruger's reply was grave and courteous. He tendered hearty thanks to the American people, and particularly to the liberty-loving lads of Philadelphia for their sympathy, and charged Smith to return his greetings to the good people of America. Then, with tarbeity brindness he shook hands with good people of America. Then, with fatherly kindness he shook hands with Smith, congratulating him upon com-pleting his long journey in safety and expressing the hope that he would have an equally safe return to his distant home. The entire group was then photo-

Mexican Body Guard for McKinley. Chicago, June 1.-A special dispatch to the Record from City of Mexico,

President Diaz has designated 100 picked rurals to attend the Pan-American exposition at Buffalo as a complimentary bodyguard to the President of



CURE

liver and regulate the bowels. Even if they only

Ache they would be almost procless to those who suffer from this distressing complaint; but torinnstely their goodness does not end here, and those who once try them will find these little pills valuable in so many ways that they will not be willing to do without them. But after all sick head

Is the bane of so many lives that here is where we make our great beast. Our pills care it while others do not. Carter's Little Liver Pills are very small and very easy to take. One or two pils makes dose.
They are strictly vegotable and do not gripe or
purge, but by their sentle action please all who
mae them. In viale at 25 cents; five for \$1. Sold
by druggists everywhere, or sent by mail.

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PIRATES ATTACK STEAMER

Chinese Robbers Besten Off by an American Captain.

Boxer Movement Spreading to Souths ern China-Movement Canbe Suppressed.

New York, June 1 .- A dispatch to the Herald from Hongkong says: For the first time in years a large steamer has been attacked on the Yang-Tse river, near Ching King, by

pirates, The American captain, named Flagg, drove them off.

The attack took place at the junction of the great canal from Tien-Tsin,

This indicates that the Boxers movement around Pekin is spreading south, but reflective people realize that there is no danger for the community, because the Boxers are hot armed.

The only danger is to property and solated foreigners in the interior.

The whole movement will collapse with the first efforts to suppress it.

CHINESE YIELD. Tien Tsin, May 31 .- At 2:30 a. m. this morning the foreign envoys at Pekin received the reply of the Tsung-ll-Yamen to their ultimatum of yesterday. calling upon the Chinese authorities to consent to the landing of a force of marines to come to Pekin to guard the legations. The ultimatum fixed 6 a.m. today as the hour at or before which the reply must be forthcoming. The Tsung-H-Yamen agreed to withdraw opposition to the coming of the guards,

BOER ENVOYS SPEAK.

Note the Fact that Roberts Gets No Guns or Supplies.

Boston, May 31 .- Amid a storm of applause, a long set of resolutions ex-pressing sympathy with the South Afican republics and calling upon the inited States government to represent to Great Britain that this country is opposed to the action of England in the war with South Africa, were unani-mously adopted at the close of the re-ception to the Boer envoys, Messrs. Fischer, Wolmarens and Wessels, in Faneuil hall tonight. The hall was Faneuil hall tonight. The hall was crowded, and when the Boer deputation entered the hall they were greeted with enthusiasm. Thomas Wentworth Higginson was chairman of the even-

The envoys did not seem greatly depressed by the news from Johannes-burg and Pretoria, Chairman Fischer, whenever opportunity gave, did not fall to reiterate the statement that the

war is by no means ended.
"Have you noticed," he asked a reporter, " that the English forces have not captured a single piece of artillery or any considerable munitions of war cuting their retreat? This material bas not ascended into the air, nor has it gone up in Lord Roberts' balloons, ind the English will find it out to their sorrow, I am afraid. Our guns, sup-plies, etc., have been taken along with our troops, and they will yet be used effectively, if I am not greatly mis-

The fact that President Kruger has retreated to Watervalboven, and that this is declared the capital of our government, shows that our people are still determined to win their independ-ence. Our capital is where our presi-

The fact that Lord Roberts annexed the Orange Free State the other day means nothing. The United States means nothing. The United States could annex Canada by proclamation, but something more effective would have to follow to make it a fact."

Mr. Fischer added the statement that

President Kruger would not surrender while there was a bullock eart and six-teen oxen in the Transvaal to transport him from place to place. Mr. Wessels expressed much the same opinions as Mr. Fischer, but he

said that he looked upon the late news from South Africa with some suspicion He added that if President Kruger had been going to surrender, he would have remained in the city, while the Boers would not carry away their guns and ammunition if they had intended to capitulate. Roberts, he said, may yet run into a nice tran. Dunkards in Conference.

Chicago, June 1.—A special to the Record from Wabash, Ind., says: The National Dunkard conference met at North Manchester, this county, last night. Every train on the two the crowd, which has been assembling since Monday, and which is now esti-mated at 7,500. Elder Miller, of Digin, III., was accepted as moderator and Elder Sam L. Hayes, of Virginia, as general secretary.

\$5,000,000 for the Fair.

Washington, May 31 .- At the conclusion of a session lasting eight hours, the Senate this evening passed the sundry civil appropriation bill, which has been under consideration for near-ly a week. The amendment providing for an appropriation of \$5,000,000 for the Louisiana Purchase exposition, to be held in St. Louis in 1903, was continued in the bill. An effort was made to reduce the amount to be appropriated, but it was unsuccessful.

MEXICAN NEWS.

Drainage, Automobiles, Hops and Hot Weather All Working. City of Mexico, June 1 .- Ten thousand

dollars have been raised in Yucatan to provide additional comfort for the Mexican troops fighting the Yaquis. Mazatlan is having a new modern drainage system constructed and the plans are now before the city council. The first lot of electric vehicles sent Company, which holds concessions for electric coach and omnibus service in

this city, has arrived. The contractors begun work paving 130 with sheet asphalt, which, with the level character of the city streets, will make this an ideal automobile town. New York capitalists are engaged in the electric vehicle business German hop plants imported by the federal government, and distributed among agriculturists. Mexico now has

many breweries whose product is noted for purity, and it is probable that soon all hops needed will be grown here. The Mexican Herald says it is most gratifying to note the intense indigna-tion of the people of the United States regarding the Cuban postal frauds, as it argues that the American public sentiment is against the new of making the new possessions wrested from Spain the prey of carpet baggers. Resident Cubans express the hope that the American government will weed out all

The weather has been intensely hot here for the last few days.

EXPEL THE SOPHOMORES. Theta Nu Epsilon Put Out Because of Using Liquor.

Chicago, June 1.—The faculty Northwestern University has formally decided to place Theta Nu Epsilon, the sophomore fraternity, out of the col-lege of liberal arts at that institution This step was taken after a secret investigation through which the faculty found the fraternity guilty of using in-toxicating liquor at its last initiation, of conducting its rites on Sunday, and Gok."

of marking the walls and walks of the college with its symbols.

The students at the university were notified of the faculty's action in the following notice on the bulletin board:

"The faculty of Northwestern University has adopted the following resolution:

"The faculty, having become con-vinced that the Theta Nu Epision fraternity is an organization which should not be continued in existence, announces its intention of not recom-mending for a degree any person who hereafter becomes a member of afore-

said fraternity. "HENRY WADE ROGERS." The fraternity at Northwestern has twenty-eight members, including three faculty men, Prof. C. B. Atwell, Prof. J. Scott Clark and Samuel D. Gloss, fellow in chemistry.

Unveiling Lafayette Monument.

Washington, May 31,-Mr. Gallinger from the committee on commerce re-ported an amendment to the sundry civil bill authorizing a commission to investigate trade conditions in the Orient. The amendment is the same offered by Mr. Gallinger in the Senate

n Tuesday. Mr. Beveridge introduced a resolution Mr. Beveriage introduces a resonant opported for the appointment of a woman commission from the Daughters of the American Revolution to be present at the unveiling of the statue of Lafayette in Paris. In response to an objection that one such appointment had been made Mr. Beveridge said that while this was true, there were two or-ganizations of the Daughters and that this resolution was menut to give representation to the one not now repre-sented.

Murder and Suicide.

Cleveland, O., May Sf.-Carl Raub, formerly connected with a local German newspaper early today shot and killed his niece, Miss Bertha Yucker, assistant kindergarten school teacher, and then killed himself. Raub was fifty years of age and his niece 25. The motive for the deed has not de-

Raub was despondent over business

AFTER THE CUBAN FRAUDS.

Postoffice Was Not Under Gen. Wood, but He is Pursuing the Criminals.

General Condition of the Island is Satisfactory - No Trouble Expected at Elections.

New York, June 1 .- A dispatch to the World from Havana says: Gen. Leonard Wood, military general

governor of Cuba, authorizes the World correspondent to cable to the World the following stament from him relative to the frauds in the Cubanpostal service and the general condition of the island;

"I firmly believe that the irregularities in the Cuban postal servise, which amount to plain theft only, are all that will be discovered.

"The postal service has not been un-der my jurisdiction. I learned of the frauds, instituted an inquiry and took steps to secure the punishment of the men implicated, I have since inaugurated a thorough

investigation into all the departments, and am confident that the condition of affairs of the postal service does not exist in any other branches. Of course there have been many rumors inspired by the postal scandal of fraudulent transactions in the other departments —the customs service, the engineers' department and the department of parks. I have every reason to believe that these departments have been conducted in a most business-like and honest manner. If there is one department I am sure of it is the customs bureau. You can readily understand that men who have been in the habit of swindling the government under the Spanish regime do not take kindly to the introduction of the methods inaugurated by the United States. I think that on the whole the entire public service of Cuba has been improved." Should you discover the existence irregularities in any other department, general, what would be your ac-

I would institute a thorough inves-

tigation and punish the offenders," re-plied the general firmly.
"Has an intimation been conveyed that the administration at Washington, would, for political reasons, rather that no other scandals be disclosed, and that the full extent of the irregularities in the postal service be kept as secret as possible?" was the next question.

tion," was the answer,
"It is my place to find out whether the government service 4s properly administered. If I find it is not, I shall insist upon the immediate punishment of any offender, no matter who he may be, or what influence, political or other-wise, may be exercised to protect him. I am responsible for the honest conduct the government, and any person found guifty will be punished."
"What have you to say regarding the reports of unwarranted extravagance on the part of officials sent by the

United States government?"
"There is nothing in the condition of affairs to justify such a statement. I been compelled to spend more mone to maintain the dignity of their rank and country than the United States has allowed them. They have drawn upon their private income to do so, and the government has not been called upon to foot the bills.

How many men have been found guilty of fraud and either been quietly dropped from the service or placed under arrest?

Very few, and with one exception, all were in civil branches of the service. Out of sixty thousand soldiers sent to the island but one man has been directly charged with embezzlement He was a volunteer officer, and amount of his stealings was \$180. was tried, found gullty and sentenced to three years. Aside from Neeley, Reeves, Rich and the other man impli-cated in the postal scandal, there are a number of men awaiting trial for perpetrating frauds in the customs ser-If guilty they will surely be

'How about the general condition of the island? "It is most satisfactory. The revenues are in excess of the expenditures. There is less discontent than you imagine, and while the advancement the people is slow, it is undoubtedly more satisfactory than the old condi-A most significant indication is furnished by the fact that the prepara tions for the election of municipal offi clais, on June 16th, have been conducted in a most orderly manner. I have not received a single request for troops. "The registration of voters foots up 15,000, one-half of the voting strength. In order to preserve the best feeling I decided to give the minority party representation on every board of alder-men and other elective bodies. I do not anticipate trouble of any character as a result of the elections.'

Gen. Andre Starts in Firm.

Paris, May 31.—The first measure of on taking over the war office, issued an order for the prosecution of the Dreyfusard paper, the Aurore, for an article by Urbain Gohler, printed resigneday, at-tacking the headquarters staff, in con-nection with the Captain Fritch affair. "These officer detectives," said M. se officer detectives," said M. thigh. All of Company I, Thirty-fi "in case of war would sell to regiment United States Volunteers."

BOILS & CARBUNCLES

These unwelcome visitors usually appear in the spring or summer, when the blood is making an extra effort to itself from the many impurities that have accumulated during the winter months.



Carbuncles, which are more painful and dangerous, come most frequently on the back of the neck, eating great holes in the flesh, exhaust the strength and often prove fatal. Boils are regarded by some people as blessings, and they patiently and uncomplainingly endure the pain and inconvenience under the mistaken idea that their health is being benefitted, that their blood is too thick anyway, and this is Nature's plan of thinning it. The blood is not too rich or too thick, but is diseased—is full of poison—and unless relieved the entire system will suffer. The boil or carbancle gives warning of serious internal troubles, which are only waiting for a favorable opportunity to develop.

even cancer, is the result of a neglected boil.

skin clear of all the irritating impurities that Baneful

cause these painful, disfiguring diseases.
S. S. S. cures boils and carbuncles easily and permanently by reinforcing, purifying and

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and permanently by reinforcing, purifying and building up the blood and ridding the system of all accumulated waste matter.

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and any information or advice wanted will be cheerfully given. We make no charge whatever for this service. Send for our book on Blood and Skin Diseases—free. Address, The Swift Specific Co., Atlanta, Ga.

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We're selling a third more clothes this year than last, and we wouldn't be doing it if our methods were not right.

Suppose you try us. Here's one as a tester-It's an all-wool brown plaid cheviot, round cut style of coat, fine Italian cloth lining; coat is faced clear back to armholes with cloth, piped with satin. The canvas and padding and tailoring is as good as you'll find in most \$12.00 suits. The price is just \$7.50. And scores of others, \$6.00 to \$28.00.

Summer

No matter; both kinds are here for you. And just what we say about suits, More styles, more variety, more Hat for your money, or that back.

Straw hats from 25c to \$3,00. Some in rough braid, some in fine braid; take your choice

Some with plain bands, some with Crash ones in Fedora or Graeco style. Plain or fancy.

Shirts. Dozens of styles and pattiens to

Summer

choose from.

Mostly the soft kinds now, to wear with white collars.

These come mostly in stripes, though a goodly number of checks Start them at 50c, then 75c and

We'll venture you'll say the \$1.00 ones are the greatest shirts you ever saw for the money,
Then come the \$1.50 and \$2.00

All with one pair cuffs to match.

except some of the \$1.50 ones-they

Then there are the fancy silk ones, 50c, 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.25.

We've some pretty good under-wear at 75c the suit, plain or fancy. We've the best \$1.00 underwear shown here-plain or fancy

W've underwear at \$1.50 the suit that we know cannot be equaled anywhere for less than \$2.00. Money back if we're not right.

Summer

Underwear.

these underwear values.

We've got you now-told you to get ready.

Now we'll tell you to get here

quick if you except to get some of

We've a nice light wool at \$1.50 and \$3.00, both splendid values. We've some liste at \$2.50.

Some silk and liste at \$6.00,

ONE PRICE.

the enemy our forts, armies and prov-

Sugar Prices Advance.

New York, May 31 .- All grades of

refined sugar were advanced one-tenth

of a cent per pound today. Raw sugar

advanced one-thirty-second cent per

pound. The American Sugar Refinery

company today issued a notice that all orders for the shipment of sugar not

directed to be shipped today would be cancelled. This was taken among

wholesalers as implying that a third ad-

vance in price of refined sugars would

Philippine News.

dispatch was received at the war de-

partment today from General Mac-

"Small surrenders continue in the de

"Small surrenders continue in the de-partment of northern Luzon. Corino, fugitive governor of Benguet, Rich, an active friend of Aguinaido, captured yesterday near Cabayan, important. While scouting near San Miguel de Mayumo (Lozon) May 29, Captain Charles D. Roberts, privates John M. McIntyre and Lyle W. Akens were captured; sergeant John Gallen, privates Jos. McCourt and John M. Green, killed; Geo. Kinger, wounded.

Green, killed; Geo. Kinger, wounded, thigh. All of Company I, Thirty-fifth

Arthur at Manila:

Washington, May 31.-The following

Fedoras 50c, 75c.

Graeco 25e, 50c, 75c.

136-138 Main Street.

have two pairs.

the enemy our forts, armies and prov-inces, as they sold them before in time of peace. They engage in jobbery, in contracts, sell crosses of honor and all sorts of documents. When they do not possess authentic documents they manufacture forgeries, for the military trade is the school of treason as it is of EICHT-YEAR-OLD BOY HERO Saved Two Children by Dragging Them from a Burning House. lying, stealing and murder."
M. Gohier is the author of the book
"The Army Against the Nation,"
which created such an outery on account of its denunciation of the army

Could Not Rescue His Mother and the Baby, Who Had Fallen on a Burning Lamp. Andre has requested minister of jus-tice, M. Monis to take proceedings, and this was the step announced at to-day's cabinet council. "

Media, Pa., May 31,-Two children were dragged from a burning house on the truck farm of T. Steerbicksloe last night by their eight-year-old brother. His mother carrying the baby and a lamp, fell on the stairway, the lamp setting fire to the house. The boy, realizing that the house was doomed. dragged out a brother and a sister who were intent on rushing through the fire to their mother. Then he returned for his mother, whose arms clasped the But her weight was too great for his little arms and as the flames were closing on him, he fied heartbroken to a place of safety.

ANTI TRUST BUSINESS. House Will Vote on the Resolution

and Bill Saturday. Washinton, May 31 .- Mr. Dalzell, from the committee on rules, presented the special order for the consideration of the anti-trust resolution and bill which he withdrew yesterday to allow the House to dispose of the pending private pension bills.

The rule was the same as that here-tofore prepared except that it provided for a vote on the amendment on Friday and the bill on Saturdty. Mr. Dalzell explained that the rule presented Lowen, Willard N. Drown.

was for the consideration of the two measures reported by the judiclary committee, the resolution for a constitutional amendment empowering Congress to act on legislation dealing with the trusts and the bill for the Sherman anti-trust law.
Mr. Richardson, the minority leader,

criticizing the rule, declared that it was framed to bring the House to a vote on resolution without opportunity to The special order was adopted 141 to

MAKE A GREAT DISCOVERY. It is by the American School of

Archæology at Athens. New York, June 1 .- The Independent has received from Prof. Rufus B. Richardson, director of the American school

archaeology at Athens, under date of May 29, the following cable message: "The American school of archæology at Athens has just made an Important discovery at Corinth, the excavation of which site has been assigned to the American school. In excavating the Agora at a depth of 20 feet an ancient Greek fountain has been found, with bronze lion head spouts in their original position. Besides this unique discovery much valuable sculpture has been found and enough of the great propylæ has been lald open to make it ble to restore the topography of Co The Greek government finds these dis-coveries so important that it will build

a special museum for preserving the monuments that have been recovered." Prof. Clapp Elected.

Berkeley, Cal., June 1.-Edward Bull Clapp, professor of Greek in the Uni-versity of California, has been elected president of the California-Yale alumni association. Other new officers of the association are:

vice president, William Mayo New-hall; treasurer, Nathaniel L. Wilson; executive committee members, Frank